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**Title of Application:** "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RESTORING A FILE SYSTEM  
FROM BACKUPS IN THE PRESENCE OF DELETIONS"

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- 1 Page(s) Transmittal form (in duplicate)
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**Fee Calculation**

	Claims Filed		Extra	Rate	Fees
<b>Basic Fee</b>					\$740.00
<b>Total Claims</b>	20	-20 =	0	\$18.00	\$0.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>	3	- 3 =	0	\$84.00	\$0.00
<b>Multiple Dependent</b>				\$280.00	
				<b>Assignm</b>	\$0.00
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$740</b>

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